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STAFF MEMORANDUM. 10 November 1943.

SUBJECT: Co-ordination of 2675th Regt. ACC and British Administrative Headquarters AMGAC.

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5. Allied Control Commission files will not be closed. They will be used as necessary here, and eventually taken to Headquarters ACC to be incorporated in ACC files.

6. (a) Colonel R.H.Farren will continue the functions of regional planning as necessary, arranging for joint action in appropriate cases.

(b) British Administrative Headquarters AMGAC will maintain and operate the message center at Hollywood.

7. Communications originating in Regions or Subcommissions, not concerned with US or British administration or supply will be addressed to or thru the Acting Chief of Staff, MG Center.

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